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1. Before the dissolution of the states and of political organizations based on state lines, the budget of the CDU for Thuringia was about 28,000 marks per month. It was difficult to provide this sum because of the inadequacy of members' contributions.
2. Under the geographic reorganization of the Russian zone each Bezirk organization of the CDU in Thuringia now receives 19,000 marks a month from the government. Thus the CDU is supported by the state, and can continue to exist in spite of a serious decline in the number of members.

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